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This document is responsive to the Official Action dated October 17, 2005. Claims 1-13 remain as follows:

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